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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Nehme et al.

Serial No.: 09/640,852

) Examiner: Robert S. Landsman  
 ) Art Unit: 1647

Filed: August 17, 2000

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For: TREATMENT OF TUMORS  
WITH ACETYLENES DI-  
SUSBSTITUTED WITH A PHE-  
NYL OR HETEROAROMATIC  
GROUP AND A SUBSTITUTED  
CHROMANYL, THIOCHROMA-  
NYL OR TETRAHYDROQUINO-  
LINYL GROUP IN COMBINA-  
TION WITH OTHER ANTI-  
TUMOR AGENTS

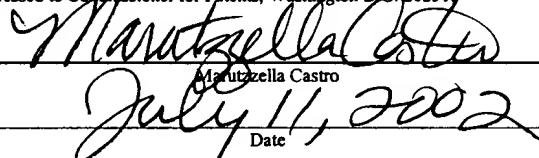
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO  
OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington D.C. 20231

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Maritzella Castro  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 13, 2002, please amend  
the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 4, line 11 replace the existing line with the following:

AI "Where X is S or O, and R<sub>1</sub> is, independently, H or lower alkyl of 1 to 6 carbons;"